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Applicants: Jack C. Whittier, Barbi A. Riggs, Patrick D. Burns and
George Seidel
Filed: June 12, 2001
Title: Integrated Herd Management System Utilizing Isolated Populations of
X-Chromosome Bearing and Y-Chromosome Bearing Spermatozoa
TC/AU: 1634
Examiner: Carla J. Myers
Assignee: Colorado State University through its agent Colorado State
University Research Foundation
Attorney Docket: HrdMgmtCIP
Customer No. 33549

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Dear Sir:

On behalf of the applicant, the undersigned attorney hereby requests an extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). This request is submitted in relation to a response due to the office communication mailed April 3, 2006, having a shortened statutory period for response of three months. A response to this action on the merits would otherwise be due July 3, 2006, however, it is requested that this time period be extended for three months to and including October 3, 2006. This extension will thereby encompass the statutory period of six months pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §133. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17, an extension fee of \$1,020.00 is submitted with this Petition. In the event the fee has been inappropriately calculated, please allow the maximum extension possible and inform me at your earliest convenience so that any deficiency or error can be corrected immediately.

Dated this 3 day of October, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,
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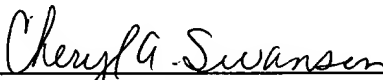
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I, Cheryl A. Swanson, hereby certify to the truth of the following items:

1. I am an employee of Santangelo Law Offices, P.C., 125 South Howes, Third Floor, Fort Collins, Colorado 80521.

2. I have this day deposited the attached Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail, postage prepaid, for mailing to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Dated this 3 day of October, 2006.


Cheryl A. Swanson